

In re Application of:

KIYOTAKA WASA ET AL.

Applicaition. No.: 09/880,757

Filed: June 15, 2001

For: STRUCTURE OF PIEZOELECTRIC ELEMENT  
AND LIQUID DISCHARGE RECORDING HEAD,  
AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE THEREFOR

Docket No. 03500.015462

Examiner: J. Nguyen

Group Art Unit: 2861

Date: October 24, 2002

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	27	MINUS	60	0	x \$9 \$18	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	6	0	x \$42 \$84	\$0
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140/\$280						\$0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0


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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Further to the Response to Restriction Requirement timely filed on October 21, 2002, and prior to the examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-23 and 29-60, without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please amend Claims 24-28 to read as follows. A marked-up copy of those